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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed November 21, 2005, please
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A listing of the pending claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.